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WEATHER REPORT
Partly cloudy today and tomorrow; continued warm; gentle, shifting winds.
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Sun rose 5:00. Sun sets 7:28.

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STATE TO TAKE DRASTIC STEPS

Auditor Declares Millions of Intangibles Are in Hiding

WILL FORCE PAYMENT

Announces More Heroic Measures Will Be Provided if Inspectors Fail in Efforts

Richmond, July 24—Auditor C. Lee Moore does not think much of the returns so far made by the examiners of records of "voluntary" reports made by taxpayers who have failed to return omitted property and thus escape the penalties for such failure up to August 1 of this year. He declares that the returns so far made are a mere bagatelle, are farcical and that people are still disposed to dodge taxes and hope to succeed in avoiding just payments.

Mr. Moore also made it exceedingly plain that the state is just as determined to compel settlements as at any time, and that if there is failure by the present method others will be devised which will be more radical and drastic and that no person will be allowed to escape payment of a legitimate share of the burdens of taxation. Mr. Moore said:

"I read with interest the publications regarding voluntary returns of intangibles, and I do not regard it in any sense as a substatial response by the taxpayers to the opportunity afforded them by the general assembly," declared Mr. Moore. "The period of omission covers twelve years, and I believe that there are many millions in values which have not been assessed in those years.

"Voluntary returns so far made are a bagatelle, and the large amount returned in the Newport News circuit is practically the return of one taxpayer. I had hoped that taxpayers, conscious of their omissions during many of these years, if not all of them, would respond to the offer to make voluntary returns, which, I believe, should aggregate many millions of dollars, but their failure, evidenced by returns so far filed, forces the commonwealth, through her taxing officers, after August 1, 1916, and thereafter to vigorously make investigations with respect to each and all tax payers to make mandatory assessments.

"Moreover, if the present system under which the commonwealth is proceeding proves inadequate, the state will provide special taxing officers for each city and county, who will devote their entire time to ascertaining and assessing the omissions during this period of years. And if the asceatainment is not made in the lifetime of the owners of such property, it will be made against the estate of such person at his or her death.

"At the last session the general assembly declared the policy of the commonwealth to be that these omissions should be assessed for state purposes for every year since 1902, and for local purpoes for every year since 1911. To the extent that taxpayers have failed to make these returns voluntarily, the burden upon the taxing officers has been increased, and while all these omissions cannot possibly be assessed during this year this work must be continued thereafter until the mandatory requireplied with in every county and city ment of the law shall have been comof the commonwealth."

Christopher B. Garnett, of the state tax board, gave a ruling affecting the taxing laws and the matter of who should return stocks for taxation. The question was asked whether stocks which were pledged as collateral should be taxed. Mr. Garnett replied that such stocks were taxable and should be returned at market value by person who had pledged them for the purpose of obtaining a loan.

DEATH OF J. W. RILEY.

Hoosier Poet Succumbs to Paralysis in Indianapolis.

James Whitcomb Riley, died Saturday night at his home in ndianapolis. Mr. Riley's desth was dut to paralysis. He suffered a violent stroke early Saturday morning.

James Whitcomb Riley, was born in the middle West in 1848.

The poet was the son of Reuben A. Riley a lawyer and political speaker, of Greenfield, Ind. His mother, who was Elizabeth Marine before her marriage, was a writer of verse, and Riley in later life attributed some of his impracticability to her.

Instead of preparing for the practice of law, as his father wished, the son turned intinerant sign painter. For ten years he roved through the Ohio valley, painting signs on fences. He cleverly drew sketches illustrating the virtues of merchandise. He later developed the poetic vein and contributed to newspapers and magazine. He at one time accompanied Bill Nye on his tour.

PLANNING BIG OUTING

All Day Picnic to be Given Thursday For The Benefit of School Improvement Fund

What will probably be the largest and most successful outing given by any organization in this city for a number of years, excepting river excursions, will be given to Snowdens station on the Washington-Virginia electric railway, Thursday, July 27, if one may judge from present indications and the interest that is being roused by the persons in charge.

The picnic is to be all-day one and will be given for the benefit of the improvement fund of St. Mary's parochial school. Tickets may be purchased from any of the committee for the ride down on the train and those who go bring their own lunches and eat them on the grounds of the old Collingwood Club, an organization of business men of this city in past years. Cars will be run from the Prince and Royal street station all during the day, according to announcement, and persons may come and go when they wish.

TO GIVE PICNIC TO POOR

Local Branch of Salvation Army Will Entertain at Big Outing Wednesday at The Dike

Plans are being completed by the local branch of the Salvation Army for an all day outing to be given Wednesday, July 27, at the Dyke, for the poor of this city. The salvationists expect to care for over a hundred mothers and children during the day, and are arranging to give them all a long to be remembered treat, to be given free.

Business men of the city have contributed generously to the outing fund and Ensign Coleman, who has charge of the local branch, states that there will be plenty to eat and that quantities of ice cream and cake will be served to the little ones and the mothers.

Cars will leave the Prince and Royal street corner at ten o'clock Wednesday morning.

MEMBERS OF R. E. LEE CAMP

Will meet as Wheatley's Chapel in Uniofrm at 10 a. m. tomorrow to attend the funeral of Comrade John A. Humphries.

J. W. Hammond,
1st Lieut. Com.

EXCURSION TO ASHEVILLE and other North Carolina points advertised for July 28, is hereby cancelled due to recent flood conditions in that section. Southern Railway.

LOST — Pay envelope containing money in bills Saturday evening, Finder please return to Thomas Decker, care of Portner's Brewery and receive reward. 24-3

ALLIES STILL ON THE OFFENSIVE

British Attack Along Whole Line on Western Front

AUSTRALIANS' FEATS

French Troops Repulse Counter-attacks and Hold New Line Intact Throughout

London, July 24 —Marked advances by the allies on both fronts and the repulse of all German counter attacks are shown in the reports from General Haig and the official statement issued in Petrograd today.

Furious battles with intense artillery fire mark the German attempts to check General Kuropatkin on the east front and the British on the west.

While the censor hides the exact details of the Russian victory, it is announced that General von Hindenburg's line has been pierced and the Czar's forces have forced a way through the German line below Riga and broken temporarily Austrian resistance to a further advance toward northern Galicia and Hungary.

The report today from General Haig shows that the British have extended their thrust around Pozieres, taking a large portion of the village.

Hard fighting is going on, with the British holding their advantage. The latest advance of the British is forcing a way into the third line of the Germans.

This is the stage of the great offensive at which critics at the beginning pointed out the "serious work" began, and important developments might be expected.

London, July 24—The big guns are pounding away on the Verdun front without cessation day or night. The bombardment has taken on aspects of great violence in the sector west of the Meuse, where the German front juts in closest to the fortress. In this region also the day was marked by sharp infantry fighting.

The Germans claim a gain of ground south of Damloup. Paris says that heavy fighting has taken place around the ruined chapel of Ste. Fine, while a German attack near Eparges was repulsed.

London, July 24—The fourth week of the Somme battle begins well for the Entente Allies and is expected to be fruitful of important developments. Before Saturday midnight the British began a new attack on the whole line from Pozieres to Guillemont, and the fact that General Haig has been able to resume the offensive so soon after the unsuccessful German counter-attacks of last week, in which very strong German forces were brought forward, is regarded as a good augury.

The fighting has been of the fiercest character, the Germans working with their utmost strength to prevent the British from advancing to their third line positions. When the last reports left headquarters in France the Australians had firmly established themselves in Pozieres and are reported to have placed themselves astride the road in the direction of Bapaume, while at Guillemont and Longueval fortunes fluctuated, both places changing hands several times. Late last night fighting was proceeding with the utmost violence.

The German counter attacks recenly delivered against the French front have proved equally unsuccessful, and the Entente Allies now are fighting slowly in the direction of Combles, which is only two miles distance from Guillemont.

According to a reliable estimate, the British and French together have captured since July 1 more than 26,000 prisoners, 140 guns and hundreds of machine guns.

Paris, July 24—The new French lines south of Soyecourt, on the Somme front, have held against a German counter attack, the War Office announces. The German attempt made Saturday night, broke down under the French fire. The artillery battle along this front continues.

An artillery bombardment and some hand grenade fighting are reported on the west bank of the Meuse in the Verdun sector. A German attack on trenches at Esparges was repulsed.

LETTER FROM THE CAMP

Alexandria Light Infantrymen Received Pay as Soldiers of Uncle Sam

Brownsville, Texas, July 18. — Boxes from home—"that town worth coming from," the men call it now—relieved the monotony of fatigue day at the camp of the Alexandria Light Infantry, here today.

And it was pay-day, the first the men have had since they were mobilized. That helped too, to make it a day of joy as well as one of hard work.

The boxes were the gift of the Order of the Eastern Star, and individuals in Alexandria. Each contained several days' supply of candy, tobacco and peanuts. Each man in the company got a box. Word that they were on the way had reached the men through copies of the Gazette and letters from home, and they had been eagerly watched for.

When the big packages containing them were hauled into camp, the word went 'round. The whole company was sweating under the torrid sun, grubbing and ditching the company street.

Smiles that spread over the men's faces then, were not a bit relaxed when the word went scurrying around a little later on that today was really going to be pay-day. It was; and right after retreat, at half-past six, nearly every man in the company went into Brownsville. Most of them were set on hanging its name, if painting the town red will do that.

The "honoriest" job of all fatigue-day was the grubbing. Stumps of the mesquite brush, that was cut down when the land was cleared before the troops went into camp here, have been stumbling-blocks to the men ever since. The clean-up movement, that has been going on gradually, took the form of grubbing-day today. The stumps were all cut below the level of the ground and covered over; a path was smoothed out and ditched along the row of tents, and the whole street was leveled off.

The company did guard duty for the whole camp of the First Regiment yesterday, and so today it did fatigue duty, instead of drill. That is regular military routine, which further promises 24 hours of rest the following day. But there is no rest in a mobilization camp.

Reveille tomorrow morning will find the men turning out of quarters; and 5:15 o'clock will find them in company formation, with side-arms on and rifles at their heels.

Company G, (the official name of the Alexandria Light Infantry) is very much wrought up over reports from home, reflecting on its captain, Conrad Johnson. Tales that he has been in any way misbehaving, or neglecting the slightest detail of his arduous duties, are known by every man in the company to be untrue. Both privates and non-coms, besides Captain Johnson's fellow officers, are pretty mad about one particular story. they have heard was taken back to Alexandria from Richmond, by a man who left the company there.

The men are also surprised at an editorial in the Gazette several days ago, which was evidently based on misinformation. It referred to the sending home from Richmond of men in Company G, who were disqualified under the strict physical examination they underwent before they were mustered into the Federal militia. The Gazette's editorial stated in effect that the men were "set adrift," at Richmond without funds or transportation home. As a matter of fact, they were paid off and their way to Alexandria was paid.

There is nothing but condemnation among the men and officers as well for the unfair treatment the disqualified men got during the week or so that they were held at Camp Stuart. This mistreatment, however, should not be charged to the company commanders who appeared to be as much incensed at it, as the men themselves. And whatever their claims for sympathy, being "set adrift" in Richmond is not one of them.

Further than that, it was largely through the efforts of Capt. Conrad Johnson himself, that the men were treated as well as they were. It is generally known in the First Regiment that it was due to "kicks" he made that the disqualified men got the favors doled out to them. An order was actually promulgated requring them to give up the very uniforms on their backs, after they had been brought to Richmond as part of the company. This order was rescinded when Capt. Johnson strenuously objected to its being enforced against his men.

The company commanders of the whole regiment were considerate enough to share their own personal blankets with their disqualified men in several instances, after the latter had been stripped of their equipment. That is the kind of treatment they got from the officers immediately over them. Private Co. G.

ANXIETY OVER FATE OF BREMEN

Failure of U-Boat to Reach Baltimore Depressing

OVERDUE NOW A WEEK

Non-Appearance of Undersea Craft Expected to Bring Submarine Commerce to an End

Baltimore, July 24—Failure of the cargo U-boat Bremen to arrive as scheduled is the real reason for holding the Deutschland in port here.

This is the explanation for Captain Koenig's failure to slip out to sea in a daring dash and attempt to slip by the cordon of allied warships off the shore in the Atlantic.

Grave fears that the sister ship of the undersea marvel here has met with disaster is felt by the crew of the Deutschland and by the agents Due a week ago and no news having arrived, the strain is beginning to tell on the men who are waiting nerves on edge, to face a myriad of unknown perils in their attempt to win their way back home.

Today came well authenticated reports that in addition to the line of French and British warships cruising up and down the coast two powerful sea going English submarines are speeding in to join them. Every hour of delay is believed to add to the danger Captain Koenig will have to face.

A hundred reasons have been advanced in explanation of the delayed departure of the commercial submarine. Shipping men, officials, newspaper correspondents, and alleged "spies" of the allies have waited for days for the dash to sea. Now comes the report from German sources that the Deutschland awaits the Bremen, and will remain in Baltimore harbor until the fate of her sister ship is known.

It is hinted that if the Bremen does not slip into some American harbor rivaling the feat of the Deutschland her failure will end the German-American undersea traffic.

DEATH OF AN ALEXANDRIAN

John A Humphries, Old and Well-Known Citizen Passes Away in West Virginia

John A. Humphries a native of this city, and for many years a resident, died in Huntington, West Virginia, yesterday. The deceased was 82 years old. He was a son of the late William Humphries, a well-known tobacconist of by gone years, who conducted business in a building upon the site of the structure now used by R. E. Knight and Son, on King street, near Washington. He was a machinist by occupation, and was for a long time employed by the Southern Railway Company.

He was a member of the Mount Vernon Guards during the war between the states, and left Alexandria with that command May 24, 1861.

His funeral will take place from B. Wheatley's chapel tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

"RETURN OF THE JEWS"

Subject Handled in an Interesting Manner by Evangelist Last Night

Evangelist Gibson delivered an address last night at the gospel tent on north Washington street upon "The Return of the Jews." Among other things the speaker said:

"Why should professing Christian people antagonize each other and manifest hatred and prejudice and not mingle with one another if they believe in the same Lord over all? There is neither Jew nor Greek, bond or free, male or female; but ye are all one in Christ Jesus. We are today finding Jews and Gentiles from all parts of the earth being converted to Christ—all becoming one in Him."

The subject tonight will be "The Gathering of Israel."

FIGHT ON ELECTRIC TRAIN

Washingtonians, One Drunk and Carrying Pint Bottle of Whisky, Cause Scene

Sam Cook and Frank Norton were among the passengers who left Washington for this city early this afternoon. Norton had provided himself with a bottle of whiskey before leaving, and he and Cook soon made it known to their fellow passengers that they were on the train. Norton sat near two young men, and he accused one of placing his hand in his pocket. This brought on trouble, and the conductor endeavored to quiet the party, but they paid no attention to him, and when one of the young men with whom the Washingtonians had quarreled attempted to leave the train at Hume Springs Cook struck him, and a general mixup followed. The disorder continued after the train reached the city limits, and upon its arrival here officer Snellings arrested Cook and Norton. The latter was drunk and fought the officer so viciously that he was forced to use his stick upon him.

After the pair had been brought to the station house a special session of the Police Court was held and Cook was fined $10. Not having the necessary wherewithal, he was locked up. Norton was too drunk to stand trial, and his case will be disposed of tomorrow.

YOUNG MAN DROWNED

Washingtonian Gets Feet Entangled in Dense Sea Weed and Drowns Below Alexandria.

Carl S. Reed, 19, of 451 Luray place, Washington was drowned in only four feet of water, in Piscataway creek, near Fort Washington yesterday morning. Young Reed's body was recovered late yesterday afternoon by a squad of police from the harbor patrol and taken to his home. The young man was swimming, and it is supposed his feet became entangled in grass which pulled him under the water.

Just arrived a fresh supply of Crabs Clams, and Oysters. Call or Telephone and orders will be given prompt attention. Ramell Cafe, S. Royal Street.

RUSSIANS GAIN IN BUKOWINA

Austrians Forced to Retreat to Carpathians' Main Ridge

FIGHT NEAR HUNGARY

Teutons' Losses in Prisoners and Guns Mounting Rapidly in Recent Engagements

Vienna, July 24—Under the menace of a heavy Russian assault, the Austrians in the Carpathian region of Southern Bukowina, southeast of Tatarow, have withdrawn toward the main ridge of the Carpathians, the War Office officially announces.

London, July 24—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from Petrograd says:

"A Russian advance of five miles is reported on the left wing of the Riga sector. General von Linsingen's recent losses on the Styr and Lipa rivers are computed to be at least 50,000 men out of the three corps engaged.

"The Russians are on the point of entering the northeast corner of Galicia, Colonel-General Boehm-Ermolli and Gen. Count von Bothmer being outflanked both on the north and south.

"The heights captured by the Russians are only four miles from the summit of the Carpathians and the Hungarian forntier in the direction of Maramaros Sziget.

"The Russians hold the whole of the Trebizond-Erzerum road in Asiatic Turkey."

Petrograd, July 24—Teutonic troops in Volhynia tried Saturday night to break the Russian line along the river Stokhod, near Bereznica, 25 miles northeast of Kovel, but failed, and were compelled to retire the War Office announced today.

German attempts to recapture a lost position northeast of Smorgen also were futile.

Berlin, July 24—The breaking up of Russian attempts to advance southeast of Riga and of efforts of Russian troops to cross the Styr in Volhynina are reported in an official statement by the War Office.

WILL ELECT DELEGATES

Those to Represent Local Fire Companies at Harrisonburg Convention to be Selected Soon

At the meeting of the Columbia Fire Engine Company August 2, it is announced that delegates to the State Firemen's Association of Virginia's convention in Harrisonburg, August 23-25, will be elected. Five delegates and five alternates will be chosen.

It is expected that the Relief Hook and Ladder Company will elect delegates at a meeting on August 11.

The Reliance Engine Company, which got the jump on the other volunteer companies, chose its delegates to the convention last week. This company expects to send over twenty members in a delegation to the convention, besides the five delegates and five alternates already elected.

It is highly probable that nearly one hundred firemen of this city will attend the annual meeting of the association.

CARD OF THANKS

To the Ladies of the Eastern Star and Alexandrians generally:

We, the undersigned, squad 7 of the Alexandria Light Infantry, desire to express our appreciation and heartfelt thanks for tobacco and candy sent us. They were thankfully received by all the company. Signed Corporal C. E. Hayden, privates J. E. Nagel, Morris Newton, E. J. Hume, K. W. Dudley, Raphael Birrell, Shirley Pullen.

Eagles' Excursion, Wednesday, July 26.

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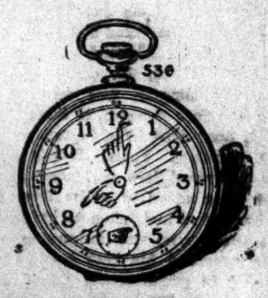

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PREPARE FOR CAMPAIGN

Babies Will be Cared For While Mothers Attend Meetings in September

Arrangements are being made by the general committee of laymen who have in harge the evangelistic campaign to be conducted in this city during the month of September by the Rev. Gypsy Smith, jr., of Haddon Heights, N. J., for the care of babies and small children of mothers who desire to attend the revivals.

It is expected that a small side tent will be erected near the large gospel tent to be thrown up on the old fair grounds in the rear of the Second Baptist Church, on upper King street and in which the revivals will be held. In this small tent nurses will be provided to take care of the small tots, which, practically speaking, may be checked by the mothers at the door.

A meeting of the committee of ladies who will have charge of the work of looking after the babies and little children will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Westminster Building of the Second Presbyterian Church. This committee is composed of one lady from each Protestant church in the city which is identified with the evangelistic movement.

At the First Baptist Church yesterday afternoon a well attended meeting of the superintendents of the twenty-two districts into which the ity has been divided in order that a thorough canvass of the city's population may be made easier was held when plans were outlined for making the canvass which will begin next Sunday, July 30. James R. Caton, chairman of the general committee, presided.

ADD Evangelistice Revivals y.fGG,'

Announcement has been made that the 22 district superintendents will be assisted in their work of canvassing by upwards of two hundred and fifty citizens who are interested in the laymen's movement and who attend the meeting held yesterday in the First aptist Church. While actual work of canvassing is not officially supposed to begin until next Sunday, July 30, many of the supervisors of the 22 districts announce that they expect to begin within a few days to canvass their respective divisions of the city.

SALE OF REAL STATE

Colonial Residence at Northwest Corner of Duke and St. Asaph Street to be Sold

The handsome three-story colonial residence with large yard attached, located at the n. w. corner Duke and St. Asaph streets, the residence of the late Dr. Thos. S. Gibson of this city, will be sold at public auction tomorrow, July 25th at 11:00 a. m. on the premises. The property will be offered with the house and adjoining lots separately and also the entire property as a whole. The house will be open for inspection on the day of the sale.

ATTEND CHRIST CHURCH

Vice President and Family in Congregation Yesterday.

Services at historic Christ Church yesterday morning were distinguished by the presence of the Vice-president of the United States and family. Vice-president Thomas R. Marshall and Mrs. Marshall, together with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Kimsey, of Indiana attended the services.

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AN ECHO OF WAR TIMES

Death of Minister Recalls an Army Institution of over Half a Century Ago

Rev. Charles W. Brooks, who spent part of his early days in Alexandria, died recently at Sandy Creek, N. Y.

The deceased was a graduate of Cazenovia Seminary, Wesleyan University, having been conferred with the degrees of A. B., A. M., and B. D. During the Civil War he served in the Army Christian Commission at Alexandria, Va.

Rev. Dr. Brooks was employed during the civil war in the building at the northwest corner of Prince and Fairfax streets, which a few years before had been occupied by Burke and Herbert, bankers. At the outbreak of the war between the tates a relief association composed of prominent Alexandrians, used the building as a supply station from which provisions, etc., were distributed to families of men who had left this city for the purpose of serving in the Confederate army. Early in 1862, during a snow storm, the projectors of this movement were arrested and sent to the Old Capitol prison on a trumped up charge of treason. The Christian Commission afterwards took charge of the house.

DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT

Edwin S. Steele Passes Away Saturday Afternoon at Home

Edwin S. Steele, 74 years old, formerly in the employe of the Washington-Virginia Railway died at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at his home 120 North Fayette street. He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Mrs. William Bayliss, Mrs. Gayton Arrington, an Miss G. D. Steele. Mr. Steele had for 18 years been the financial secretary of Sarepta Lodge of Odd Fellows. He also was a member of Alexandria Council, Order of Fraternal Americans.

Funeral services for the deceased will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at his late home and will be conducted by the Rev. Edward T. Kirkley, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church. Members of Potomac and Sarepta Lodges of Odd Fellows and of Alexandria Council, No. 5, Order Fraternal Americans, will attend the services in a body.

DEATH OF G. W. PETTIT

Funeral Services for Deceased Conducted This Afternoon

George W. Pettit, employed for for many years by the Hydraulic Press Brick Co., died Saturday afternoon at his home, 222 Jefferson street. He is survived by his wife, four daughters and two sons. He was a member of Alva Aerie, No. 871, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and James W. Jackson Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics. The funeral services were conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence by the Rev. J. W. Duffey, D. D., pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Four daughters and two sons survive the deceased, they being Mrs. George H. Shelton, Mrs. Harry R. Darnell, Miss Bertie M. Pettit, Miss Mary Ella Pettit, George Pettit, and Andrew Pettit.

POLICE COURT

(Justice L. H. Thompson, presiding)

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Sarah Wilson, colored, alias Pinckney, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited her collateral, $4.40, by failing to appear.

Richard Brown, colored, charged with assault, was fined $5.

Four white men, residing in the southeastern section of the city, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, were fined $5 each.

Herbert Green and Jennie Smith colored, charged with disorderly conduct, were fined $5 each.

A white man, who had been held for five days in order that his condition might be investigated, was released after giving security for his future good behavior.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

Frank L. Slaymaker is spending his vacation at Riverton, Va.

Harry L. Penn, Jr., is visiting his sister in Cumberland, Md.

T. Tupper Barrett has returned from a week end spent at Charlottesville and Woodberry Forest, Va.

Louis C. Barley, Jr., spent the past week end as the guest of friends at Leesburg.

Captain and Mrs. Albert Bryan have returned from Buena Vista, Pa., where they spent about ten days.

Leopold Ruben is spending a few days in New York City.

Mrs. Julian T. Burke and Miss Esther D. Burke left recently for Woodberry Forest, Va., where they are spending the summer.

Mrs. William B. Daingerfield and daughter, Mrs. James M. Love, who was the recent guest of her mother, are now spending the remainder of the summer at Woodberry Forest, Va.

Dr. Walter A. Warfield, of this city who is with the field hospital corps at Camp Henry C. Stuart, Richmond, has been appointed sanitary officer of the camp.

Elaborate plans of entertainment are being prepared by the committee of Alva Aerie, No. 871, Fraternal Order of Eagles, for their twelfth annual excursion to Marshall Hall on Wednesday.

WILL MEET TOMORROW

Alexandrians Will Attend Virginia Press Associations Session at Staunton

Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock the sessions of the annual convention of Virginia Press Association, composed of the editors and publishers of the Old Dominion, will begin in the Beverely Theatre at Staunton, which will continue until the evening of Thursday, July 27, and which will be attended by huge delegations of the editorial fraternity from all parts of the mother state.

The program arranged for the entertainment of the editors, besides the business sessions on the program includes automobile rides, a trip to the grottoes of Virginia, entertainments at Staunton's theatres, a trap shoot, banquets, luncheons, and a large reception and dance to wind up the three days' sessions.

Among those scheduled to speak before the newspaper men, as previously announced in the Gazette, are Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, Pan-American Director John Barrett, Governor Henry Carter Stuart, of Virginia, Lieut.-Gov. J. Taylor Ellyson, Attorney-General John Garland Pollard, Presidential Elector Westmoreland Davis, Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, president of the National Florence Crittenton Mission and leader in numbers of national women's organizations, Mrs. Kate Langley Bohser, noted author of Richmond, and Robert S. Barrett of this city, who is president of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Barrett, together with Mr. Barrett's mother Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, left today for Staunton and among others from this city who will attend the sessions of the convention are Mr. and Mrs. William F. Carne and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander J. Wedderburn

EXAMINATIONS FOR SERVICE.

Civil Service Commission Announces Dates of Future Exams.

Following are the examinations to be held at near dates as announced by the United States Civil Service Commission:

August 8, assistant in farm economics, associate ceramic chmist, assistant in market business practice, grade 1, assistant in marketing live stock and meats; August 9, stenographer and typewriter, electrotyper-finisher, assistant in market business practice, grade 2; August 15, electrical draftsman, aeronautic darftsman; August 22, mechanical draftsman; August 23, assistant physicist qualified in physical metallurgy; August 23-24, laboratory assistant; August 29-28, inspector of safety appliances, inspector of hours of service.

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Complaints of non-delivery of papers will be greatly appreciated if reported to this office. Both phones No. 9.

SACRIFICING THEIR COUNTRY

A captured diary belonging to a German commanding officer on the western battle front in France shows that in the fighting of one week a Bavarian reserve regiment which was opposed to the allies at Montauban, suffered 3,000 casualties out of a total strength of 3,500 men.

Another document shows that one battalion of the 190th regiment lost 980 men out of 1,100, while the other two battalions of that regiment each lost more than half their effective strength.

While Germany is paying a terrible cost for bringing on the present war, the fact that not only those of her people who are bearing arms, but the stay at homes as well are doing all they can to encourage the army in its battles for the country is apparent.

The following extracts from a letter sent from Berlin to the Fatherland, published in New York, shows a spirit equal to anything manifested by the Spartans of old:

I believe I am not saying too much when I assert that the fourth German war loan would have been a record breaker if it had been taken up everywhere with the same zeal as here in Berlin. Here all the classes of the population vied with one anothe in earnest endeavor to raise money for this great patriotic purpose Even the schoolboys made collections partly from those of their parents. For example, a poor boy who is receiving free tuition because his parents are unable to pay, brought five marks for the collection made by his class. He had earned the money himself by helping his mother carry papers. The pennies which he was able to scrape together in this way he saved conscientiously without using a single one for himself, for he was inspired by the lofty ambition to do something for the welfare of the fatherland with his money. As another example, I will mention the following anecdote for which I am indebted to a public school teacher in Berlin. He tells the story as follows:

"On the last subscription day a child in my class, the daughter of a poor widow, living in one of the most most remote workingmen's section on the Schliemannstrasse, brought me 100 marks. To my astonished question as to how she came by the money I received the answer:

" 'Mother sent it. She saved it for her funeral.' "

Another class possessing practically no means, but which showed particular zeal in giving, were the servant girls and apprentices. I know of servant girls who have given from 100 to 1,500 marks of their savings and also of a waiter's apprentice, seventeen years old, who gladly placed everything which he has saved in his entire life, 500 marks, on the altar of the fatherland.

SEARCHING FOR AN ISSUE

The Philadelphia Record propounds certain questions and proceeds to answer them separately as follows:

What are the Republicans going to make their great campaign issue? What will be the bugle blasts that Pussyfoot will emit in his letter of acceptance that will arouse the wild enthusiasm of the multitudinous officeseekers?

National preparedness? In view of the great work of the Democratic Congress in enlarging and reorganizing the army and the navy and of making the National Guard an effective line of defense, it is difficult to see how the G. O. P. could do more. When Roosevelt was President he cut the army down ruthlessly and did little to improve the navy.

Mexico? Conditions along the Rio Grande, which seem to be slowly adjusting themselves, are a direct heritage from the Taft Administration. They are better now than they were in 1910, 1911, 1912, and the early part of 1913 under Republican rule. Not since the Madero rebellion has the outlook for permanent peace been better.

The tariff? Not even Senator Penrose raises this dead issue, killed by the overwhelming Democratic prosperity.

Belgium, the sinking of the Lusitania and German aggression? Not on your life. Since the Colonel ceased to be a candidate these matters no longer interest him, and ex-Justice Hughes, supported by the German-American Alliance and afraid to offend a possible supporter, fights shy of them. They will be absolutely ignored.

Americanism? Well, perhaps. But what is Americanism? No party can successfully make the claim that one-half of the people of this country are successful, patriotic and possessed of all the virtues, while the other half, living side by side with them and apparently differing in no way in capacity and public spirit, are a lot of slackers and degenerates. That is what the Republicans charge, but of course, they do not believe in such an absurdity The fact that in three years and four months the Wilson Administration accomplished far more in important constructive legislation than the Republicans did in the 16 years from March 4, 1897, to March 4, 1913 shows that the Democrats are no less industrious and efficient as legislators and administrators than the Republicans.

What, then, will be the big issue? Ask George W. Perkins, who is running the Hughes campaign much as he would manage a merger of shoddy mills in one grand Trust. If George would answer truthfully he would say:

"We want the Federal offices and the good old days of graft and special privilege again."

That is the G. O. P. issue, but we do not expect to see it stated with such perfect frankness in the campaign just opening.

ENFORCING VAGRANT LAW

Plain clothes men and other members of the Lynchburg police department are continuing to notify unemployed people of the intention of the authorities to enforce rigorously the vagrancy law. Officers have visited all of the pool rooms in the city and advised loafers that they must secure employment unless they wish to serve a term at City Farm.

Several movements similar to the above have been made in Alexandria recently. During the past few weeks several of the indolent and improvident of this city, white and colored, male and female, have been rounded up by the police and in each case the delinquents were sent on for ninety days, during which time the males are liable to be called upon at any time for service on the roads.

One individual, a white man, who has long been an eyesore to his relatives and friends, was brought to the bar last week. He was given a three months' term in jail. This morning a case was reopened, when a contracting bricklayer appeared for the purpose of taking the prisoner out of the city and furnishing him employment as a helper during the next twelve months at $1.50 a day. He was turned over to the bricklayer with the understanding that should he reappear in Alexandria and resume his former life he will be picked up and returned to jail.

BERLIN PEACE CAMPAIGN ..

(Baltimore American)

According to dispatches from Berlin, the city will witness wide oratorial efforts to restrain the ultra-war party in its demands that no plans of peace be entered into that does not include the annexation of the territories that have been gained by German arms. Followers of Prince von Wedel, who is the leader of the peace movement, as well as the adjutant of the Emperor, are said to have been given permission to conduct meetings in fifty cities, which meetings will be addressed by leading Germans. The design evidently is to temper the expectations of the German people as to the fruits of the war and to prepare them for a peace that shall take very much more account of the Allies than the ultra party is disposed to.

Most leading Germans want an honorable peace. They want to secure a peace that will not reflect upon the quality of their achievements in the field and that will have the semblance of making concessions of return of territory that they might well have retained. Back of the movement lies the sense of the German officials for the need of rehabilitation to make good the conditions under which the war was entered upon—namely, the violation of Belgium.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Cardinal ibbons celebrated his 82d birthday in Baltimore yesterday.

It is reported that 85,000 Russian troops will be transported from Siberia to Canada and shipped from Halifax to France. It is also stated that just before the British steamship Olympic left Halifax with 10,000 Canadian soldiers some time ago, bombs were discovered on board the vessel.

Acquisition of a four-hundred-acre tract of land a half mile from Amityville, L. I., with a frontage of a mile on Great South Bay and of three-fourth of a mile on Merrick road, has been announced. It was acquired by the American Air Craft Company, a $5,000 corporation recently organized for the perfection of an aerial mail service between New York City and London.

Information received from Switzerland states that the Austrian frontier is again closed. The reason is believed to be a general lexy on masse. Austria is calling out her last reserves, including half-recovered invalids and wounded, and is withdrawing a large part of her troops from the Italian front, as well as transporting troops now in Serbia. These forces are being sent to the Russian front.

While Harry J. Spannell, who killed his wife, Mrs. Crystal Holland Spannell, and Lieut. Col. Matthews C. Butler, at Alpine, Texas, last Thursday night, is languishing in a cell here refusing to see friends and refusing to have an attorney engaged to protect his interests, the War Department investigation of the tragedy has been completed and gives the two victims of Spannell's insane jealousy complete exoneration from any wrongdoing.

J. B. Harlow, a farmer of Cody, a small settlement near Hugo, Okla., shot and killed his wife, John Sutter a worker on his farm, and W. M. Beeler, a neighbor, yesterday. Then he escaped. Mrs. Marlow, who lived several hours after she was wounded, said her husband came to her saying he had killed Beeler and Sutter and was going to kill her and two other men. He then shot her and left the house. Posses are in pursuit.

Ober and Dr. William R. Hudson, brothers, the latter having arrived in Luray Saturday night from Washington, and their brother-in-law, Richard F. Berry, a member of the law firm of Lee and Berry of Luray, were drowned yesterday afternoon in the Shenandoah River four miles west of Luray. The three men were bathing in the river, when it is supposed that one of them was taken with cramps and in their efforts to rescue him all three of the men were drowned.

Mrs. James G. Meyer, prominent suffragist and society leader, entered the law offices of her husband in the Brown Building at Beacon, N. Y. late Friday night. She shattered the glass in the door when she found him entertaining Miss Esther Allen, 24 years old, a beautiful young divorcee. Mrs. Meyer fired five shots at the couple. One lodged in Meyer's left arm, while another struck Miss Allen in the right leg. This did not handicap the young woman from making a hasty exit through a rear door. Mr. Allen is 50 years old, Miss Allen was formerly his stenographer. Mrs. Meyer and her husband had been parted for several months.

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"I tell you I was in a bad shape and often told my wife I didn't know what was going to become of us, as it looked like I was never going to get well again. I have sucered for years with stomach trouble. I didn't seem able to digest what I ate, and my appetite fell away till I ate but little of anything. My liver gave me a lot of trouble and almost every week I had to take some harsh purgative to get it to work at all. I had pains in the small of my back and legs all the time, and often I'de get so weak in my knees, I couldn't stand. I had sick stomach and headaches and in the mornings my tongue would be all coated and a disagreeable taste in my mouth. I didn't sleep much at night and the slightest noise would wake me up. When I made up my mind to take Dreo, it was about the last resort, for I had about gone the limit with medicines without getting one bit of help. I had read and heard about how good Dreco was, and now I know it, for I began to mend at once and have been improving ever since. My liver is in good shape now and I have a fine appetite and digest whatever I eat. I sleep sound and wake refreshed, and have more energy than in many a year. No more pains in my back, or limbs, now headaches, This medicine is certainly all right."

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Charlie Chaplin in

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Mutual two parts

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TUESDAY

William Nigh and Marguerite Snow in Metro five parts.

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DOUBLE TROUBLE

Triangle five parts

A Janitor's Wife' Temptation

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

SURPRISE

Pathe presents Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis in

The Iron Claw

The Unmasking of Davy

Anna Drew in

The Broaken Promice

World's two part

TUESDAY

Leah Baird in

The Light of New York

Vitagraph blue ribbon

Ham and Bud Comedy

RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

PREMIER CARRIER OF THE SOUTH

IN EFFECT MARCH 1, 1916

N. B.—Following schedule figures are published only as information not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:37 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington and Dunville, delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C and O. No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M.—Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 30; 9 00; 9 30; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.

A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 10 30, 11 30;—P. M.—12 30, 1 30; 3 30; 4 30; 5 35; 6 40 7 35, 9 55, 10 20; 11 50.

Sundays as above except 6 35 and 8 A. M. and 11 50 P. M.

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect May 28, 1916

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33 a.m 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:16, 8:53, 11:35 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

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DEFEAT OF WHITE SOX

Cardinals Win Game Yesterday Afternoon by a Score of Six to Five

In an interesting and hard fought battle the Cardinals defeated the White Sox yesterday by the score: Cardinals, 6; White Sox, 5.

The Cardinals were greatly handicapped by not having a pitcher in condition for duty, and Tommy O'Donnell, an outfielder, was assigned to duty on the mound and did fairly well until relieved by Jimmy Sweeney, who finished the game, although the latter twirler has been troubled with the "charley horse' for several weeks. The good fielding and heavy hitting by the members of the Cardinals when hits meant runs is the cause of the success of that team.

Jimmy Quayle, pitching for the White Sox, performed in big league style and deserved to win but his teammates failed to aid him when they had various opportunities to put runs over the plate. Robinson behind the bat caught a most creditable game for the losers.

Next Sunday the Cardinals and the Eagles will meet in their first round for championship honors and a fine game should be the result as both teams will use their best players in an endeavor to win. The contest will be played on the Cardinal's home diamond and will start about 2:30 p. m.

By winning yesterday at Carendon from the Alexandria County Athletic Association nine, which a Sunday before, had defeated the Cardinals in the opener of the series for the ameteur baseball championship of northern Virginia, the Alexandria Eagles jumped into first place in the title series and can be tied only by being defeated next Sunday at Baggett's diamond by the Cardinals.

The score of yesterday's game at Clarendon was 7 to 2. The Cardinals defeated the White Sox here yesterday by the close score of 6 to 5, relegating the White Sox to last place in the standing of the serie

The White Sox meet the A. C. A. A. nine next Sunday at the Cove, and unless the White Sox manage to capture this contest, it is unlikely that they will end in or near the front of the race. The teams all appear to be rather evenly matched, however, and no one can yet pick a winner. The series, because of this fact, naturally incites more interest.

In the game at Clarendon yesterday Lefty White, the diminutive twirler of the Eagle nine, held his opponents to six scattered hits, and struck out eleven, and he was supported well by his teammates.

HORSE SHOW THURSDAY

Number of Handsome Horses to be Exhibited at Orange This Week

The Orange county horseshow, which is an annual feature, social and otherwise, of that county of the eighth congressional district, will begin in Orange, the county seat of the county, Thursday, July 27, and horses of the neighboring country are being trained for exhibition on that date.

There are a number of good-looking thoroughbreds listed for the different events of the horse show and it is expected that this year the show will be one of the most successful since the institution of this annual feature.

The Warrenton horse show will be held for two days next month, August 23 and 24, and numbers from this city will attend.

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MAYOR LEAGUE BALL

American League.

Two games were played in the American League circuit yesterday, Chicago defeating Detroit 12 to 9 and St. Louis winning over the Cleveland Indians by 5 to 2. Only one game is slated for today, that being a contest between Chicago and Detroit.

The Nationals are traveling and will invade the West, their first stop being Detroit where they will begin a series Tuesday and hope to leave the Jungleer town with the series to their credit. At present Washington it tied with the White Sox for the last place in the first division.

The pennant race in the junior circuit is close as ever, and baseball scribes all over the country predict hot and close finish. Several teams predicted to crack before the season was very old have as yet refused to do so, and the first six teams are having a merry chase for the bunting. St. Louis has a strong club and is bound to climb a few notches soon, but the Athletic may be safely conceded out of the running for this year, Connie Mack basing his hopes on his 1917 club, for which he is now planning and trying out new material.

National League.

Following were yesterday's scores in the National League:

Phillies, 6; Cincinnati, 1.
Chicago, 8; New York, 3.
Boston, 2; St. Louis, 1.

Today's schedule is Philadelphia at Pittsburg, no other games being on the slate.

OLD DOMINION BOAT CLUB.

"Co-operative Paint Society" Completes Work of Decorating Boat House

Work of painting the exterior of the boat house occupied by the Old Dominion Boat Club, a time-honored aquatic organization of this city, at the foot of Duke street, yesterday, has been practically completed by the volunteer painters and decorators, styled the "Co-operative Paint Society," and formed of members of the club, who have been busily at work in giving the club house several coats of fresh paint for the past two weeks.

Included in the work attempted by the boys was the improvement of the balcony on the second floor of the boat house which overlooks the river, and also the decorating of the windows.

A huge sign is being prepared to be erected in front of the club house and facing the river and on this sign will be painted the name "Old Dominion Boat Club."

Arrangements are being made by the officers of the organization to enter several regattas on southern waters this season, and much interest is being roused in the training of the crews to man the different shells.

VIRGINIA GREYS VICTORS.

Defeat S. S. C. C. Club, of Washington Saturday, and Win Over Orioles Yesterday.

Two more victories have been added to the long list of the Va. Greys, one of the fastest amateur teams of this city, which is rather strong, although the players are young and do not rank in the class with the Cardinals, White Sox and Eagles.

Saturday the Greys took the S S C C Club, of Washington, into camp by a score of 2 to 0, Ayers, the local twirler, holding the visitors to three scattered hits and yesterday they shut out the Orioles to the tune of 7 to 0. Beach, for the Greys, pitched a no-hit game.

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VIRGINIA NEWS

While in a launch in East River in Matthews county last Friday, Philip H. Muir, one of the most prominent citizens of this county, was drowned when he lost his balance and fell overboard.

Advices forwarded by State Auditor Moore to the court clerks of the Commonwealth instruct these officers that under the delinquent capitation tax bill passed by the last General Assembly only poll taxes that are delinquent for the years 1911 and 1912 can be listed for forcible collection under the new law.

News has been received of the death of Carroll Dale, nineteen years old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dale, formerly of Bristol. Young Dale, with three companions, undertook to overtake a boat in the Kentucky River, that was carrying a dancing party. The race was made in a light launch. Approaching in the wake of the big boat, the launch was sucked under, and the entire party of four drowned.

To bring all the Virginia military organizations now under arms up to full war strength, 2,183 men will be required, according to the schedule received from the Eastern Department. The most serious deficiency in men is in the First and Second Regiments, now on the Mexican border. Each of these organizations is short more than 900 men of having full war strength. The deficiencies among State military bodies are divided up as follows: First Regiment, 947; Second Regiment, 985; First Squadron Cavalry, 121; Battery C,, Field Artillery, 83; First Battalion, Field Artillery, 16; First Company, Signal Corps, 3; Field Hospital, 28.

GREAT BRITAIN'S BOYCOTT

President Wilson Considering Armed Neutrality.

It was intimated in administration circles yesterday that President Wilson is considering armed neutrality with which to defeat Great Britain's warfare upon American neutral foreign trade, under the guise of a blacklist of American individuals and firms.

The President was represented as being disturbed by the evidences of British aggression at the expense of the United States and to have indicated to members of the Cabinet his determination to bring Great Britain to account.

The action under consideration, it was said, is twofold:

First, the furnishing of public vessels as a convoy for merchant ships flying the American flag.

Second, the purchase from German owners of several large ships which have been tied up in this country since the war began.

Instead of refusing to sell to Great Britain, it was stated, the United States may furnish an armed convoy which would prevent interference of any kind by English and French warships with the American merchant ships so protected.

The United States has treaties with several countries providing that merchant vessels flying the American flag, engaged in innocent trade and accompanied by a public ship, which would include lighthouse tenders, revenue cutters or warships, shall not be subject to visit and search.

An authority declared yesterday that by sending convoys with American trading vessels to Scandinavia, Holland and South America, Great Britiain, under no pretext, could hold them up at sea and divert them to Kirkwall, and that the blacklist would be killed.

At least four persons were killed and 44 or more injured Saturday in San Francisco, when a timed bomb, concealed in a sut case, exploded on San Francisco's main thoroughfare, in the midst of a throng viewing a preparedness parade. A one-story brick structure, against which the suit case stood, was wrecked, and the explosion blew a gap through the crowd, blasting men, women and children. It is possible that some bodies were blown out of existence, The suit case contained cartridges bullets, gas pipes, scrap iron and glass. One suspect was arrested.

DEATH NOTICE.

Mr. John A. Humphries, formerly of Alxeandria, died at 7:30 p. m., yesterday, at Huntington, West Virginia. His remains will be brought to Alexandria for burial. The funeral will occur at 10 a. m., tomorrow from Wheatley's Chapel.

One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well." Obtainable everywhere.

LEGAL NOTICES

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 25th day of May, 1916.

Frank E. Martin, complainant.
vs.
Winifred Sheik Martin, defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant from the said defendant a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful abandonment and desertion for more than three years, and for general relief.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the said defendant Winifred Sheik Martin is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in said City of Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this City on the 25th day of May 1916, and that a copy be mailed by said defendant Winifred Sheik Martin, at 175 Anislie Street Brooklyn, the Clerk of this Court addressed to ..ew York, her last known place of abode.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
G Washington Lewis, P. Q.

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Courthouse of said City on Thursday, July 20th, 1916.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Rose Ackerman,
vs. IN CHANCERY.
Meyer Ackerman.

Upon the written application of the complainant, made and filed in accordance with the statutes, together with the affidavit of the defendant's non-residence the said affidavit stating the last known address of the said defendant, and it appearing from the return of the Sergeant that the said defendant is not a resident of the City of Alexandria, Va., and not within the jurisdiction of the Corporation court of the City of Alexandria; the Court does on this 20th day of July, 1916, enter the following order of publication against the defendant;

MEMO; The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant Meyer, Ackerman, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years, without cause or excuse, and that the complainant be decreed such further and other relief as to equity is right.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the defendant do appear within fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit; that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published and printed in the city of Alexandria, Va., that a copy of the said order of publication be posted at the front door of the court house on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of the same be mailed to the last known address of the defendant at Vancouver, British Columbia, by the Clerk of this Court, by registered mail.

A copy teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Chas. E. Corgan, P. Q.

IN THE CORPORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Charles M. Ashton, Complainant,
vs. IN CHANCERY.
Grace Ashton, Defendant.

Upon the application in writing of complainant stating specifically the last known post office address or place of abode of the defendant and it appearing to the court that process has been issued and returned by the sergeant of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, showing the defendant not being found in the jurisdiction of this court, the court on the 18th day of July, 1916, doth grant the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant Charles M. Ashton from the defendant Grace Ashton, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for such other, further and general relief as the case may require or to equity may seem meet, and an affidavit having been filed that the defendant, Grace Ashton, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear within fifteen days after due publication of said order of publication and do what is necessary to And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia and a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered; and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said non-resident defendant, Grace Ashton, at Highstown, N. J., her last known post office address or place of abode.

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Beginning at the intersection of said Streets and running thence with Duke Street and binding thereon 123 feet 5 inches, more or less, to an alley, with the use of said alley; thence northwardly parallel to St. Asaph Street and binding on said alley 88 feet 3 1-2 inches; thence eastwardly parallel to Duke Street 123 feet 5 inches to St. Asaph Street; and thence with St. Asaph Street to the point of beginning.

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